# College credits in High School College Now vs AP

## **College Now** College credit is available through JCCC

- Grade reported to JCCC is typically the same as the grade earned for the high school course
- Cost is \$97 per credit hour
- There is an specific Enrollment Process -
  - submit an application for admissions online at http://admissions.jccc.edu
  - after receiving their JCCC username, password and ID, students enroll in the course through JCCC and pay fees by the September enrollment deadline. There is no late enrollment.
  - Teachers will present information in class to students about how to enroll

#### Check the OS Counseling website for JCCC enrollment information and deadlines

Use this website to see if your intended college/university accepts JCCC credit. https://www.jccc.edu/student-resources/transfer/program-guidestransfer.html

#### **Advanced Placement**

- Created by College Board
- College credit is based on how the student scores on their AP exam in May
- Cost for the exam is \$103 per exam
- Deadline to register and pay for an exam is November 15, 2023. There are late registration and cancellation fees.
- A student's test taking abilities and the willingness to prepare for the exam should be strong consideration. There is NO guarantee that college credit will be earned. If a student has an A in the OS course but doesn't properly prepare for the exam and receives a score of 2, then college credit will likely not be given by any college.

Check the OS Counseling website for updates on AP information and deadlines.

Individual colleges and universities set their own policies for credits earned on the AP exam. Check www.collegeboard.com/ap/creditpolicy for specifics on the credit policies for the school you plan to attend. For example, KU and KSU may have different policies on the score they accept for credit for an individual course. AP is the most widely accepted credit.

For general information on the AP program, go to www.collegeboard.com

#### Advanced Placement (AP) Information:

Advanced Placement (AP) is an internationally recognized standard of academic excellence that provides the following benefits to students:

- AP can enhance a student's opportunity for scholarships and career possibilities.
- AP can enhance a student's opportunity to receive admission into recognized universities and postsecondary programs.
- AP can reduce college costs and the time required to obtain a degree by providing post-secondary credit
  for courses and examinations completed successfully in high school. AP exams are given in May and scored
  by the Educational Testing Service. Students are encouraged to take AP exams to demonstrate successful
  AP course completion.

<u>Note</u>: Honors coursework provides a critical alignment with AP course success. AP exams are strongly encouraged. Each college or university determines which AP examination/score will be accepted.

### **College Now Information:**

10th-12th graders have the opportunity to take academic courses in high school which have been identified by the school district and Johnson County Community College as College-Equivalent Courses (College Now). All College Now students must have attained required ACT scores or JCCC Placement Exam scores to enroll for JCCC credit. Upon payment of specified tuition and fees and successful completion of a course, college credit can be earned. Only students enrolled in designated college equivalency courses can apply for this college credit option. Course availability may vary by high school.

Tuition charges for College Now courses will not exceed the amount charged for students enrolling in similar JCCC campus-based courses. No additional charges beyond those authorized for high school rental fees and materials used for classroom activities will be made. Courses which qualify for Excel in CTE have waived tuition for high school students who meet JCCC Kansas residency requirements for enrollment in any tiered career technical course. For more information about Excel in CTE courses offered at JCCC, please visit <a href="https://www.jccc.edu/admissions/early-college/high-school-concurrent-enrollment/sb-155.html">https://www.jccc.edu/admissions/early-college/high-school-concurrent-enrollment/sb-155.html</a>

College Now courses listed below may not be offered for dual credit in every high school. Check your high school's College Now schedules for availability.

Dual credit courses may be found at <a href="https://www.jccc.edu/admissions/early-college/high-school-concurrent-enrollment/index.html">www.jccc.edu/admissions/early-college/high-school-concurrent-enrollment/index.html</a> or as follows:

- AC Electronics
- Animation I, II, III & IV
- AP Biology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Chemistry
- AP Computer Science A
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP English Literature and Composition
- AP Environmental Science
- AP European History

- AP French V
- AP Music Theory
- AP Psychology
- AP Spanish V
- AP Statistics
- 7 ii Statistics
- AP United States Government
- AP United States History
- AP/College Physics I
- Auto Technology
- Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers
- Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA)
- College Algebra

- College Biology
- College Chemistry
- DC Electronics
- Digital Electronics
- Emergency Medical Services (EMS)
- Fire Science I
- Fire Science II
- · Foundation of Electronics
- French IV
- German III
- German IV
- Hazardous Materials for First Responder

- Home Health Aide (HHA)
- Horticulture I & II \*
   \*(same school year)
- Integrated Circuits
- . Introduction to Computer Coding
- Introduction to Healthcare
- Law Enforcement I
- Law Enforcement II
- Medical Terminology
- Microcontrollers
- Pre-Calculus
- Spanish IV
- . Welding Technology I
- Zoology